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IRMA TIMES

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GOVERNMENT TURNS DOWN VETS REQUEST

Refuses Royal Commission to Inquire into Needs of Veterans in Reconstruction.

Ottawa Sept. 7th—Keen disappointment was expressed by the national officers of the Great War Veterans association at the refusal of the government to establish a royal commission to determine the practicability of further financial assistance in the re-establishment of returned soldiers. The final decision of the government was communicated by the prime minister to the dominion executive committee and was received with indignation as the request had been considered "in view of the existing circumstances" as quite reasonable.

Judging from the numerous telegrams which have been received in Ottawa at the national headquarters of the GWVA and by the members of parliament, the numerous branches of the association are not disposed to accept the decision of the government with good grace.

"The Great War Veterans association has 'played the game' on this question," stated President Pursey of the Veterans, "but no recognition is given to this fact in the attitude assumed by the government. There is no disposition on the part of the veterans to make any demand which would tax the financial resources of the country, but the desire for a more equitable program of re-establishment has become so generally insistent as to make a thorough investigation of the subject imperative.

"Matters have reached a sorry pass," he contended, "that a commission may be appointed to enquire into the needs of the racing game, but not into those of returned soldiers."

Toronto Sept. 7—Gently demanding a gratuity of \$2000 for every returned soldier, a crowd of 5000 returned men in Queen's Park here this afternoon pledged themselves "to sleep, eat and drink gratuity" till the dominion government granted their demands for the \$2000. The crowd agreed not to accept anything less than this sum, since a compromise would "show weakness" in their demands.

Calgary, Sept. 7—The news of the refusal of the dominion government to meet the veterans on gratuities fell like a bomb shell among the veterans here, and an indignation largely attended, was held this afternoon at which a strongly worded resolution was passed, insisting that the government meet the veterans committee. It is planned to hold a public demonstration next Sunday at which H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, who will be a guest here then, will be asked to attend. The Calgary veterans feel particularly keenly the attitude of the government since it was with the Calgary branch that the first proposal for the gratuity originated.

U. F. W. A.

On Tuesday, September 4th, the members and their friends met at the home of Mrs. F. W. Higginson. There was a large attendance. Mrs. J. G. Clark, president, occupied the chair.

Mrs. Ross Eaton gave a paper on feeding threshing gangs. Some of the members also gave their experiences. Tea was served and the meeting closed with the singing of the national anthem. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Askin, Thursday, Oct. 2nd, when some musical items will be given.

KINSELLA PREPARES FOR FALL FAIR

U. F. A., Women's Institute, and District Schools Co-operate in Holding Fair Sept. 23rd.

The people of the Kinsella district are holding their third annual fair on Tuesday, September 23, in Williams Hall, Kinsella, under the auspices of the Kinsella Local U.F.A., Kinsella Women's Institute, and District Schools Fairs Association. Mr. L. W. Taverner is president, Mrs. D. W. Lovell, vice-president, and Mr. P. R. Bamsey, secretary-treasurer.

Good cash prizes and handsome special prizes are offered in classes of vegetables and roots, flowers, domestic science, needlework, poultry, and live stock.

The first annual School Fair is being held in connection with the district fair under the auspices of the School of Agriculture, Vermilion, the Department of Education, and the Kinsella School Fairs Association. Prizes are offered in the garden section, household art, cooking, sewing, school work, etc. The Canadian Bankers competition for boys and girls is also one of the features.

There will be a Community picnic held at noon, senior ball games, foot races, and a novelty race for tin lizzies. A special baseball game will be staged at eleven o'clock at the fair grounds between teams chosen from the scholars of Kinsella, Badger, Overleigh and Phillips school, and a team chosen from Jarrow, Coal Springs, Zetia and Diamond Willow schools.

Another feature will be a cooking demonstration by Miss K. L. Davis from the Vermilion School of Agriculture.

A grand dance in the evening will top off the day. All citizens of the Kinsella district are invited and urged to come and take part in the fair which the directors hope will transcend any former effort.

Another Big Strike Threatens Canada

SYDNEY, N. S., Sept. 5.—Unless the Winnipeg strike leaders now imprisoned in the west are released on bail before the 17th of this month, Canada will be tied up from coast to coast by a gigantic strike embracing every industry under union control, according to a statement made to the Canadian Press today by J. B. MacLachlan, United Mine Workers' district secretary.

MacLachlan represented the situation as serious unless the authorities grant the Winnipeg men bail. The threatened strike will tie up the coal mines of this district and practically close down industry in Sydney.

Sunday Services.

Strawberry Plains 11 a.m.
Sunny Brae 1.30 p.m.
Alma Mater 3.30
Irma 7.30
SUNDAY SCHOOL
Irma 11 a.m.
Sunny Brae 2.30
Roseberry 2.00
Alma Mater 2.30
C. G. Hockin, Pastor

Lars Johnson has sold his livery stable to a party from Irma, who will take charge in the near future.

Oscar Burnstad has two telephone construction outfits building lines at Wainwright and Vermilion—Holden Herald.

IRMA ITEMS.

Wanted—a few loads green feed hay or oat straw. H. W. Love.

The ladies intend holding a bazaar the first part of December.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Alf Larsen on Sunday, August 30th, a son.

Mr. F. White has purchased a new Deering binder.

W. J. Graydon spent Monday at Edmonton.

The Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. H. W. Love last Wednesday.

J. R. Love spent the week-end in Edmonton.

R. Hunter is spending a few days in Edmonton on business.

Mrs. M. M. Cook is visiting her mother Mrs. J. H. Elliott.

Mrs. A. Long and Mrs. B. Stewart are visiting at Lamont.

See Mr. Palmer from the House of Hoberlin for a fall suit at McFarland's Sept. 17th.

Mrs. McConnochie and Miss Peck who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Seaton left Tuesday for England.

Ketchen & Co. have just received a shipment of Moffett Ranges in three different styles. These will be on display in a few days.

Mr. Otto Belling has purchased the ice cream parlor formerly conducted by Mr. E. Kimbell. Mr. and Mrs. Kimbell left Monday night for Edmonton.

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Saturday night some party or parties took the bells off of two cows belonging to J. Merry on Section 12-47-9. They were not satisfied with taking the bells but cut the ear off one cow and cut the tail of another. Evidently this is the same gang that have been terrorizing the settlers in the district.

COAL SPRINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Therou and baby spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Knudson.

M. T. Knudson and family took Sunday dinner with the R. Fuder family of Metropolitan.

We understand that Mr. H. Rewitz has made application for and Mr. and Mrs. McDonald is selling the S.W. quarter of his farm. Mr. McDonald intends to build on the east half of this section.

The little six year old boy of Math. Larson was severely shaken up on Wednesday last by getting caught in the shaft of the pump engine. We understand that the shoulder was broken, and the little lad was taken to Edmonton on Thursday for attention.

Rev. Brae conducted Lutheran services at the school on Sunday last.

C. J. Knudson has been circulating a petition for a rural mail service.

G. W. V. A.

NOTICE

All returned men of the Irma district who are desirous of starting a branch of the G.W.V.A. in Irma will please hand in their names to Lou Milton at the Chevrolet Garage within the next two weeks.

W. L. Milton, Jr.

Hay From Manitoba For Alberta Farmers

Some 3,000 tons of wild hay cut Dominion lands near Le Pas, Man., will be brought into Alberta this fall, according to Honorable Duncan Marshall. Permits for that quantity were secured from the Dominion government and contracts let for cutting, and the hay is now being harvested. It will be pressed during October and will then be shipped to Calgary and other distributing points in Southern Alberta for sale to the farmers. The selling price will be the actual cost to the government.

Mr. Marshall says the indications are that there will be a great amount of first-class oat straw in the country this year, which will go a long way to relieve the feed situation. Much of it will be green cut and will therefore press into good and serviceable fodder for winter stock.

Extensive Change



"Many changes in your apartments this fall?"

"Yes. Seven graphophones moved out and one pianola."

Pattern Department

Make your own garments this winter. Home-made clothes are more serviceable, wear longer and are worth the factory made clothes. We stock both BUTTERICK'S and LADIES HOME WORK. Patterns of any article of men's, women's or children's wear at

IRMA CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY

A New Suit for Fall

bought from us will give SERVICE and

SATISFACTION

We are agents for the best makes of Made-to Measure tailored suits in this country.

The prices are better than most firms can do.

Patterns and clothes will add distinction to the make.

Come and see what we have. We can take your measure any time.

About 200 samples should give you ample choice.

Classic Clothes and J. W. Peck

are the lines we handle

Preserving Fruits

Best Heavy Pack Peaches	\$1.85 per case
" " " Prunes	1.80 " "
Duchess Apples	2.50 " "
Gravenstein Apples, large case	3.25 per case
Sugar Plums 4 basket case	2.75 per case
Green Tomatoes large Case	1.50 per case

Citrons, Cucumbers, Pumpkins,

Remember us for Groceries

IRMA TIMES

YOUR HOME TOWN PAPER

needs all the support it can get in order to continue the good work of keeping this town and adjoining district in the foreground. Be a booster.

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Quality Merchandise

Bed Coverings

How about Flannelette

Blankets for the fall months. We have a very reasonable price on these goods. Fine closely woven flannelette with a nice fleecy nap, in colours of grey and white with fancy coloured border actual size 66x76. No lost time, stamps or money orders needed, they are right here for you to see, and take away if you like them.

PER PAIR \$2.90

Bed Comforters priced from

\$4.00 to \$6.25

Extra large Flannelette

Blankets, the largest size made 74x84 AT \$3.65

Get a "House of Hobberlin"

Suit. Mr. Palmer will be here

September 17th.

Staple Goods

A fine range of extra heavy Shirting Flannelettes. These goods are special quality and will give you a maximum amount of wear and appearance, in a nice variety of dark checks and stripes, priced from 40 to 50¢ a yard.

Flannel in red, khaki, and grey, nice goods, made up in eastern woolen mills, let us show you them, good stuff for all kinds of wear, at 60¢ to 1.40 a yard.

Light coloured Flannelettes in dandy good cloths 36 in wide extra heavy flannel goods in pretty striped designs priced 35 to 45¢ a yard.

Mens Wear

A fine range of mens work shirts in flannel from \$2.00 to 8.25 each.

The best Sox ever shown in town.

A real line of Mitts for fall and winter priced from 1.85 to 3.00. You should see them to appreciate them.

Boots and Shoes

SOLID LEATHER

Our Boot and Shoe Stock just seems to be more than on the market these days. They all seem to like the class of stuff on the shoe counter, it is such apparent value. Lots of people remark that they never did see this class of goods in the country before. This line of talk may sound a trifle strong but remember we are right here with the goods to back it up.

Were you going to send away for a pair of Wannigans? There is no need. We have them right here. Sheepskin lined, slip sewed sole, and leather heel, priced: boys 2.50 men 2.80

Groceries

A full range of Preserving fruit, tomatoes green and ripe, etc. for the week end at right prices. See us

J. C. McFarland & Company

Canada To Prohibit Excess Profiteering

Ottawa.—The Board of Commerce is forthwith to investigate profits on necessities of life. According to a ruling of the board, the special object of the enquiry "shall be to accumulate evidence for the purpose of ascertaining what (if allowed in each case for locality) shall be deemed to be fair profits, and to fix a date after which the taking of profits in excess of a rate to be determined shall be deemed unfair under the Combines and Fair Practices Act." The enquiry will embrace all matters which arise or indicate the breach of any provision of the act, or any other antecedent laws or regulations.

The chief commissioner, Judge H. A. Robson, and Commissioner O'Connor are each ordered individually to report to the board, each of the said commissioners sitting for the purpose at such time and place as he may determine.

Terrors Of Bolshevism

Everyone in Russia Lives Under a Shadow of Horrible Death and Torture

London.—Commander Colonel John Ward has arrived in London, having been summoned from Russia by the War Office for a consultation. In an interview he stated that the horrors of Bolshevik rule had been far from exaggerated. It was, he said, indeed doubtful as to whether the story of half the atrocities in Russia had yet been told.

The secret of the prolonged regime of the Bolsheviks was simply terrorism. "Everyone in Russia acted under fear of denunciation and of a horrible death. Besides there was no food, clothing or other necessities of life for those refusing to profess Bolshevik views. Again the Bolshevik-controlled rich manufacturing districts and all attacks on them had to be made from the sparsely populated areas, hence it was important that General Denikin should be supplied with munitions as should be Kolchak."

The Bolshevik forces, states Commander Ward, have practically unlimited supplies of munitions, as only a small portion of the munitions supplied Russia by the allies before the revolution fell into the hands of the Germans. Colonel Ward said he believed that the Bolsheviks had sufficient munitions for ten years.

U.S. Navy to Greet Prince
Vancouver.—Hon. Josephus Daniels, secretary of the United States navy, will send part of his Pacific fleet to Vancouver on September 22, when the Prince of Wales is to be here. Mr. Daniels wired city officials that while he would not be able to be present himself, he would be pleased to send part of the fleet, and would "make such arrangements as possible." Mr. Daniels is to visit Victoria on a drought on September 11.

\$30,000 for Grubstakes
Dawson.—The Dawson city's welcome and re-establishment committee for returned soldiers had adopted resolutions asking the Federal Government for \$30,000 for relief of returned men who arrived back here too late to earn a winter grubstake, or who are physically unfit, and asking particularly that soldier-miners be given this assistance in lieu of land grants.

You will always have money if you save half your earnings.

Farming To Be Taught To Imperial Veterans

Those Eligible for Dominion Aid Must Be Ready to Be Trained First

Ottawa.—The Soldier Settlement Board of Canada has issued regulations for the settlement of imperial soldiers or others of the British forces not resident at the outbreak of war.

In order to become eligible for a loan, those who are not eligible in agriculture will, spend two years in training in practical farming, and those who have had farming experience in the old land sufficient time with farmers in Canada under supervision of the board to become familiar with the Canadian methods. Settlers on purchased land will be required to pay down 20 per cent. of the purchase price.

A qualification committee will pass on applicants for settlement both before and after training. Evidence of adaptability necessary to fit in Canadian life and make a success of farming business will be an important consideration.

Wilson Will Consult People

Going on Stump for Peace Treaty, All Over States

Washington.—President Wilson has left on his western speaking tour on behalf of the peace treaty, confident of ratification of the instrument by the senate without amendments or "destructive reservations" which would require re-negotiation.

The trip, perhaps the most arduous ever undertaken by a President, will carry Mr. Wilson and his party as far west as the Pacific coast, almost to the Canadian border on the north and almost to Mexico on the south. He will speak in every state west of the Mississippi except four, and will make up for the omission of these by speeches in Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky and Tennessee. In Seattle he will review the Pacific fleet.

Although it is expected that the **President will devote most of his attention to the peace treaty, he probably will also touch on the high cost of living and other domestic problems.**

Rumors Waste in Navy

Admiral Fisher Suggests Money Might Now Be Reserved for Better Things Than Fleets

London.—A protest couched in vigorous language in the Times by Lord Fisher on naval expenditure has evoked interesting comments. Lord Fisher declaimed against alleged incredible and ruinous waste in the navy, which now costs one hundred and forty million pounds sterling annually, as compared with thirty-four million in 1904, notwithstanding that the German fleet does not exist. Lord Fisher declares that half the navy is already obsolete and should be scrapped and says that the other half will be equally useless in a few years because of internal combustion engines and oil.

Lord Fisher concludes: "If the nation don't sack the spendthrifts, the day of crumbling is not far off."

Another Hohenzollern
Berlin.—A son has been born to Duchess Victoria Louise of Brunswick, daughter of former Emperor William.

You will always have money if you save half your earnings.

Miners In Britain Are Still Restless

London.—The situation of the coal question now is that the Miners' Federation has unanimously rejected the government's plan for working the mines in favor of nationalization. They have, however, told it to the Trades Union Congress, to be held at Glasgow on September 8, to decide whether there shall be direct action by the miners or whether constitutional means shall be employed to secure nationalization of the mines.

This means, in the opinion of the competent judges, that direct action will not be taken. The miners, nevertheless, are said to be flinging with the idea and will endeavor to induce the labor triple alliance—the miners, transportation workers and railwaymen—to order another ballot

of its members on the employment of direct action against conscription and military interference in Russia.

Messrs. Smillie and Brace, in recent speeches, both plainly intimated that it would be a mistake to assume that direct action had been abandoned, and urged the government not to drive the miners to extremes.

Point seemingly given to Mr. Brace's declaration that coal is more important than gold by figures used by the Board of Trade, showing steady decline week by week in the output of coal, from nearly 5,000,000 tons the week ending May 31, to just a little more than 2,500,000 tons for the week ending August 9. The greatest reduction in output was in Yorkshire.

Aviators Take Up Life On Ranch

To Breed Horses, Cattle and Sheep and Grow Cotton

London.—A party of former officers of the British forces held a meeting here with the purpose of getting acquainted preparatory to their departure for Central America, where they will take up life on a ranch under the supervision of Brig.-Gen. Fred Critchley, former commander of the Royal Air Force.

Brig.-Gen. Critchley originated the plan "in recognition of the desire on the part of many other demobilized officers for healthy sporting and adventurous open-air life, combined with unlimited possibilities of a mercantile nature."

On the ranch, which is located in the centre of a well-stocked sporting area, it is proposed to breed horses and cattle and sheep, and grow cotton and other crops. The estate belongs to General Critchley.

It is planned to divide the land among the members of the party after the first year spent on it.

All the members of the party who will make the trip are bachelors, but married men, who are former officers of the British forces, will be welcomed to membership in the club after the inauguration of the enterprise.

Brig.-Gen. Critchley, who was born in Calgary 29 years ago, is widely known in Canada as a sportsman, hunting polo, golf and tennis being his favorite pastimes. He was a member of the Lord Strathcona Horse at the outbreak of the war and went to Europe and served with the First Canadian Division. He was awarded the D.S.O. in 1915.

Army Food Going Cheap

Prices Slashed to Meet Made By Chain of Grocery Stores

New York.—Sale of surplus army food in New York took on the aspects of a cut rate war, when Market Commissioner Day, in charge of sales, announced that prices of canned soups had been slashed to meet a cut in soup prices made by a chain of grocery stores following army food sales.

The army soup originally was sold at nine and ten cents a can, which before the price cut, stores were asking for similar products.

The chain store cut their prices to three cans for 25 cents. Commissioner Day's new price for army soup is seven cents a can.

Commissioner Day also announced revision downward of the prices charged for army bacon, beans, corn, pease, condensed milk, corn syrup and canned tomatoes. All these staples now are being sold at prices considerably below those fixed by the fair price committee, he said. According to Commissioner Day, the army food sales have totalled more than \$500,000 in eight days, and at the present rate the supply of army food will have been exhausted in two more weeks.

Warn Income Tax Dodgers
Winnipeg.—A local paper, in a special dispatch from Ottawa, states that prosecution of income tax dodgers will begin this week, according to report from the Department of Finance. The department, it is said, plans vigorous prosecution of all persons who failed to file a return on their income or who gave false information. Several Montreal and Halifax business men and several prominent westerners are in line for early prosecution, it is reported.

Cheaper Meat for New Yorkers
New York.—The retail price of meat has declined from one to two cents a pound in this city, according to Arthur Williams, federal food administrator, who has just issued his semi-weekly fair price list. In the matter of groceries, however, the campaign against the pool has not been so successful, as most of the items under this head have increased slightly.

Arrest Mexican Outlaws
Washington.—Outlaws responsible for the murder of John W. Correll, an American citizen, have been arrested and will be placed on trial at Tampico, the Mexican embassy announced. The arrests were made near Los Mecquils and included Ramon Diaz, chieflain, and his followers, Rafael Ruiz, Francisco Gamboa, Blas Vidal and Francisco Valverde.

Prince Will Unveil Statue
London.—The statue of Queen Victoria, purchased by the British Columbia government before the war for placing in front of the government buildings at Victoria, is being shipped; and it is hoped that it will arrive in time for the Prince of Wales to unveil. The statue has been at the Royal Exchange.

Germans Must Fulfill Peace Terms

Allies Will Show Firmness in Having Peace Treaty Fully Carried Out

Paris.—Commenting upon the action of the peace conference in simultaneously handling Austria, in similar form, the peace terms framed for her acceptance, and the delivery to Germany of the note demanding a change in the German constitution to eliminate the provision for the selection of Austrian representatives to the German parliament, the Paris newspapers declare this was not a simple coincidence. It means, the press argues, at once a firm resolution by the Allies to insist upon respect for the terms of the German treaty as regards Austria and the definite end of the Danubian monarchy.

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Irma Times

H. G. THUNELL, Publisher

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Friday, Sept. 12th, 1919

Are We Losing Our Game Birds?

A very frequent remark of hunters on Monday was the apparent lessening number of ducks that were to be seen. Several of the old hunters in the town could recall the days not so many years ago when over a hundred ducks could be seen where today there is only one. Our experience in this regard, after a residence in Alberta for over twenty-five years, bears this fact out. There are certainly fewer ducks than there were even three or four years ago. Are we going to lose our game birds entirely? Without a doubt that ten years from now a wild duck will be a curiosity in this district unless some preventive measures are taken to stop their destruction. We believe that a great loss of wild fowl takes place during the breeding season, when indiscriminate persons rob the nests of eggs and kill the mothers. Others are unsportsmanlike enough to bag hundreds of young ones "fappers."

—Wainwright Star

The public works is the greatest spending department of the government, and the transfer to it of Mr. Sifton from the department of customs means a substantial promotion for him and an additional recognition of the province from which he comes. In assuming his new duties, Mr. Sifton will be on familiar ground. He was minister of public works in the government of the northwest territories from 1901 to 1903. In the latter year he became chief justice of the territories, was the first chief justice of Alberta after the establishment of the province in 1905, and held that post until he became provincial premier in the spring of 1910. —Edmonton Journal.

Co-op Store Started at Holden.

A Rutherford co-operative society is practically thru the organization stage, and judging from the information we are able to obtain a general store will be established on Main street, north of Stewart's implement shed. It was stated that A. T. Stewart has sold one of his sheds which will be finished suitable for a store and be ready for occupancy on October 1st. —Holden Herald.

The coming world's baseball series between Cincinnati and Chicago is attracting more attention in the States than the Senate's discussion on the League of Nations.

John Gundard Lason, the escaped fugitive who was re-captured by Edmonton detectives near Edson last Friday, is now in a cell in the city lock-up where he will be charged with a number of recent hold-ups and the murder of Constable Nixon of the city police force.

Local Fair Dates.

Vermilion, Sept. 11 and 12.
Kitcotay, Sept. 15.
Tofield, Sept. 17.
Holden, Sept. 18.
Viking, Sept. 19.

\$5,000 provision for your home

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\$50 a month indemnity for yourself

Guaranteed to You Under Our New Special Indemnity Plan



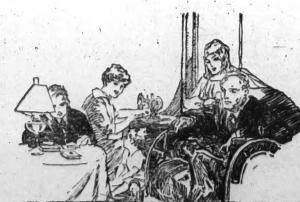
It safeguards your income.



—protects your home, and—



—if you become permanently disabled—



—pays you \$50 a month for life, and—



guarantees \$5,000 to your family.

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Nothing Left to Chance.

This is the Policy you will want when you know how completely it does away with hazards that you are now taking. The premium required, for all these benefits is very moderate.

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H. W. Love, Local agent, Irma
Dear Sirs—Without obligation on my part, please send me particulars of
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Address _____
Born _____
Age _____
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Fires Break Out

and thieves break in. Don't risk the first, or invite the second, by keeping money in the house.

Put it in The Merchants Bank, where it will be safe from loss—always available—and earn interest at highest current rates.

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Pump Jacks Double Geared

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Pipe, Rod, Water Conductors

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Irma Development Co.

Farmers:

When you list your farm, list it with some one who will try and sell it for you. We advertise farms listed with us in leading Canadian and American papers and also relist with a number of the most up-to-date real estate firms in Canada and the United States.

If you are thinking about buying the quarter or half section adjoining you come in and see us about it before some one else gets it and cuts off your range.

We specialize in all kinds of Insurance.

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of Saskatoon, Sask.

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Do You Think of Buying a Car?
See us. Look over our stock of Ford Accessories and Parts



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MOORE BROS., IRMA
Garage, Ford Dealers, Gasoline and Oils, Auto Livery

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We make a specialty of

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of which we have a good listing, and would enjoy the privilege of telling you about them.

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Irma L.O.L. No. 2066

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Sect. N. M. Matheson
Treas. A. S. Knapp

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— Money to Loan —
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for the Province of Alberta, will be pleased to communicate with any person wishing to put on a sale. Have had 8 years experience. Write or phone at my expense.

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Special Saturday and next week

\$1.10 a Bottle

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Tanks, Etc.

Geo. R. Smith

Eight head of horses have been grazing in Grattan Coule near Hawkins station for over a year. Apparently no one seems to own them. The following brands appear to be on some of them:

on right shoulder

on left hip

on left shoulder and left hip

Probably some of our readers may know who these belong to. Information may be had by seeing H. W. Love or C. T. Hill.

POPULAR WANTS

Horses branded L7 on left thigh are the property of J. A. Nesl, Mannville. Reward for information leading to recovery of same. 20-30p

FOR SALE—Several choice house plants, one pair of Canaries. Apply Mrs. A. A. Dickson. 28-30p

Strayed—to SE 13-45-10, grey stallion, left hind foot blemished branded 3B on left shoulder. 20-30p

LOST—2 sorrel colts, 2-yr-old, 1 gelding, 1 mare, wire cut on left shoulder of mare, 1 dark bay yearling filly, one eye out. \$5.00 reward for information leading to recovery. S. Capell, Irma. 28-30p

LOST—Grey yearling mare, colt, had buckskin halter on, branded GA on left thigh. \$5.00 reward. G. Arnold, 4-47-8, Irma, Alta. 30-35p

EXCHANGE—1918 five passenger Ford car to exchange for yearling heifers or calves. Apply box 918, Irma. 30-35p

FOR SALE CHEAP—First prize Buff Orpington cocks, 6 hens, young cockerels and pullets. Also few S.C. White Leghorn Cockerels. These birds are all pure bred. P. E. Jones, Irma. 30-35p

CROWDS EXPECTED
AT VIKING FAIR

Directors Make Plans to Entertain Fair Visitors and Patrons With Attractive Sports Program.

Horsemen Will Race for \$500.00 Purse. \$3000 For Exhibits. Don't Miss the Big Doings.

(From Viking News)

Friday, September 19th, the day of Viking's thirteenth annual fall fair and exhibition is only nine short days away and before we know it the day is here, full of hustle and bustle, as such days generally are. Some big things in the line of sports to add to the attractiveness of the fair as a whole, are being planned. The horsemen are putting on a horse racing program that will be worth going many miles to see.

\$500.00 in prizes have been hung up for horse races and many outside horses with good records are being entered in the various races. A full program appears on the big posters which are being scattered far and wide.

Besides horse races two baseball games are being arranged between the fastest teams in this part of the province. Viking, Killam and Irma are the teams that will probably line up on the big day. Chances are that this will be the last ball game of the season and the various teams will put all they have into the game in order to win the last.

Horse and cattle entries are expected to far exceed former fairs, not overlooking the host of other classes that comprise the fair.

Secretary McAtthey anticipates that the thirteenth annual fair will surpass anything ever held in this district and the rush of entries will soon be on.

The horsemen are putting the race track into the best shape possible. The brush will be cut down inside the track so that the races may be seen all the way around.

The fair will wind up with a big dance in McLeod's hall.

If you want to boast a good thing for the district boast the Viking Fair.

NOW IS THE TIME

to buy a FARM in the

Irma District

I have some exceptional bargains in improved and raw land propositions. Look these over and see my listings

S. W. 10-46-8-W4TH

160 acres, about 100 acres open land, balanced light brush, good district, small shack.

Price \$1500.00

N.E. 4-46-8-W4TH

160 acres, about 100 open, good black loam, will make nice farm, good district only 7 miles from Irma.

Price \$1800, good terms

S.W. 16-45-8-W4TH

160 acres, adjoining Hawkins station, 100 acres open land, small shack, partly fenced.

Price \$1800.00

H. W. LOVE
Irma : : : Alta.

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TO GET THE LEAST WALL AREA—TO SAVE BUILDING MATERIAL—TO SAVE IN COST OF CONSTRUCTION—
TO REDUCE HEAT LOST THRU WALLS

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Sometimes too little money is invested in farm buildings, in which case undue labor is required in taking care of the stock. Work is often done at a great disadvantage, to save a few dollars when the buildings are being constructed.

Plank Frame Barns—using nothing heavier than 2 inch plank—cost less to build and are becoming very popular. The principal reasons for this are, that his method saves in cost of lumber and provides for more storage room in the hay loft.

COME IN AND LOOK OVER OUR PLANS FOR THAT BARN OR HOUSE YOU ARE THINKING OF BUILDING

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When you buy from us you buy Satisfaction. Our customers are satisfied customers, and proud of their buildings.

Look at the many good homes built with our lumber in the past three years. Have a talk with the owners of these homes and you will find that they got just what they wanted from floor to roof at the lowest possible price.

We handle the best interior finish that money can buy and have the shed space to keep it in first class shape.

We have a complete well kept stock of all kinds of Lumber, Tamarac Fence Posts, 7 and 14 feet, Lime, Plaster and Cement.

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DENTIST

Dr. H. H. Lockwood of Wainwright will visit Irma MONDAY and TUESDAY of second and last week of each month. Office Irma Development Building

Irma Meat Market



I have just taken over the Irma Meat Market and solicit the patronage of all the residents of the Irma district

Fresh Meats - Sausage - Lard
smoked and cured neats always on hand

C. P. Larson, Irma, Alberta

For Sale : a few early hatched white Leghorn Cockerels and Pulletts. These birds are Pure Bred and came from stock imported from Australia's best egg-laying strain.—H. A. Clute, Irma, Alta.



Back To School

The schools' summer holidays are over for another year, and teachers and pupils are again occupying their places in the little schoolhouses all over this prairie country, where the real foundations of Canada's future citizenship are being laid.

But while the teachers are in their places, something more than ten thousand of them in the three Prairie Provinces, it is important to ask and answer the question whether all the boys and girls are again in school who ought to be there.

Compulsory school attendance laws are in force in these provinces, under which it is obligatory on parents and guardians to send their children to school until a certain age is reached. These are wise laws, designed to prevent future citizens from growing up to young manhood and womanhood not only uneducated, but illiterate. In this western country boys and girls are wisely compelled to learn to read, write and speak English and master the rudiments of a primary common school education.

Every year, however, some thousands of boys and girls reach the age when the compulsion of the law enforcing school attendance is lifted, and it becomes a matter to be decided by the fathers and mothers whether Charles or John or Susie shall return to school, or whether they will be kept at home to help on the farm or in the store or about the house, or be allowed to go out and "get a job" and thus help to keep the family.

It is a critical decision fathers and mothers are called upon to make. Boys and girls, usually, are anxious to get away from the discipline, routine and what so many regard as the drudgery of school. It is not until later years that they look back upon their school days as the happiest, most carefree days of their lives. In their teens, however, they are anxious to go out into the world and begin life's great adventure. It is the parents who must decide wisely for them.

After all, as one observer has said, it is just a matter of arithmetic. If a boy is just ready to enter high school he can probably earn six or eight dollars a week for the first year and an average of ten, twelve or fifteen dollars a week for the next three years. That is to say, he can earn from \$1,500 to \$2,500 if he stays away from school.

But take the other side of the ledger. If the boy continues to go to school for another three years he will be able, at the end of his course to earn on the average more than the boy who stopped short of the high school, and he will be able to earn it for the thirty or forty or fifty years of his earning life. The balance in money is on the side of the boy who returns to school.

Then comes along the pessimist

and the job's comforter and says: "Well, if he goes back to school and gets cram full of book learning what will it profit him? Does not a plumber earn more than a schoolmaster, and a carpenter more than a clerk? And of what particular value will a high school education be to John as a farmer or to Susie as a farmer's wife?" These are unfair arguments and illogical. The trained carpenter and the skilled plumber having the backing of a good education soon forces ahead of his fellow carpenter or plumber who left school before he was half-way through. It is the educated man who succeeds in business for himself while the uneducated ones become his employees. And in this age and generation it is not necessary to dwell on the fact that successful farming has become a highly organized business undertaking, a really scientific undertaking in the carrying on of which ignorance and slipshod methods can have no place, but in which the trained, intelligent, thinking men are pre-eminent.

But everything should not be measured by the money standard. Is there not a better opportunity in life for happiness, for contentment and for service, for the boy or girl possessing the qualifications and powers which a good education confers upon them? There is a place in the life of the community, the Province, the Dominion which only the educated can fill, and in these days, and in the years to come, service to our country and to our fellow men is going to count.

Parents must ask themselves the question whether, by withdrawing their children from school before they have secured the advantages of a high school education, they are going to deny to them the opportunity of fitting themselves for the rendering of such service, and of attaining the place in the life of their country which they may otherwise be exceptionally well qualified to fill.

The fathers and mothers of today are the trustees of the future citizenship of Canada. With them rests the decision now which may make or mar their children's future. It is a tremendous responsibility. The wise decision will be to keep their boys and girls at school just as long as they can possibly do so, and thus give to them the best possible equipment for their life work, no matter what lot or sphere of action they may be called.

"Cold In the Head"

is an acute attack of Nasal Catarrh. Persons who are subject to frequent "cold in the head" will find that the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will remove the disease. A single dose of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous membranes of the system. All Druggists 75c. Testimonials free. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will not cure. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Trying to Leave Germany

German millionaires are now trying to escape from Germany to avoid the confiscation of their property. Over thirty millionaires have arrived in Swedenborg, in the Island of Alsing, in Sweden, hoping to succeed in becoming Danish citizens, and thus saving their fortunes. They have already bought house and landed property, but this, according to the recent declaration of the Danish Government, will not give them Danish citizenship.

Nephew Abjures Kaiser

Detroit.—The former Count Johann Wilhelm von Loewenfeld-Braenburg-Hohenzollern, a resident of Detroit since 1911, and a nephew of former Emperor William, is now Vaughn Lionell. His name was changed in probate court. Mr. Lionell has his first naturalization papers and says he is "through" with his European relatives.

Ice cream soda is a popular interior decoration at the present stage of the game.

WHY BEAUTY FADES

Condition Due Entirely to Poor, Watery Blood

The girl who returns home from school finds her complexion rough and out will be fortunate, if she escapes a physical breakdown, because this getting tired so easily is probably the first warning symptom of a thinning blood that must not be disregarded if her health is to be preserved.

When the blood becomes thin and impure the patient becomes thin, pale, haggard and angular. She not only tires out easily, but suffers from fainting spells, motion of the heart, dizzy spells and a loss of appetite. This condition will go from bad to worse, until perhaps fatal consumption sets in, if prompt steps are not taken to increase and enrich the blood supply. The first step is to have the blood that brings the glow of health, no medicine yet discovered can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. If given a fair trial this use brings rosy cheeks, bright eyes, a good appetite and good spirits. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have made thousands of pale, languid girls active and strong. On the first sign of poor, thin blood, mothers should insist upon their daughters taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They will not only restore health, but will save further doctor bills.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills can be obtained from any dealer in medicine or by mail at 20 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Flax Survey in Ontario

Toronto.—A personal survey of the flax situation in Ontario made by Mr. Justus Miller, field crop specialist of the Department of Agriculture, reveals the fact that the crop this year is only a fair one, at least one-third of the yield being too short to pull. This quality will be made into Scotch tow, and the remaining two-thirds of the crop will be used for fiber. There are 50 flax mills in the province, and these expect to ship about 50,000 bushels of seed to Ireland.

Asthma Brings Misery, but Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy will replace the misery with welcome relief. Inhaled as smoke or vapor, it reaches the very innmost recesses of the bronchial passages and soothes the bronchial muscles, giving a rare breathing return. If you know as well how this remedy would help you as do thousands of grateful users, there would be a package in your home tonight. Try it.

Isn't it a fact that the congregation of a wide-awake preacher is seldom caught napping?

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Define Preferred Goods

Twenty-five Per Cent. Total Value of Home Production

London.—According to new "imperial preference" orders issued by the board of trade, preferential rates shall apply to refined sugar, molasses, sugar extracts and manufactured tobacco "only in respect of such proportion of these goods as corresponds to the proportion of dutiable material used in their manufacture, which is shown to have been grown or produced in the empire." Another order says that goods shall not be deemed to have been manufactured in the empire unless at least 25 per cent of their total value is the result of labor within the empire.

Cardinal Mercier to Visit U.S.A.

Brussels.—Cardinal Mercier will leave for America on Sept. 15, according to the most recent information. It is said that he will meet King Albert and Queen Elizabeth abroad.

5,000 LIMERICK PRIZE

The winning of it can't ease the pain of the corn, but "Putnam's" will ease, cure and prevent corns and warts. Guaranteed goes with every bottle of "Putnam's." Use no other, 25c at all dealers.

Figures on Strike Losses

Ottawa.—According to figures prepared by the Canadian Department of Labor, a total of 14,127,220 days have been lost through strikes from 1901 to 1919. Putting the minimum wage at \$3 a day, the department estimates that he working men of Canada have lost at least \$43,000,000 during the period, though no estimate is made of increased wages secured through the strikes.

The total number of strikes was 2,127, involving 597,735 employees.

Disappearing Hair

"I think the baby has your hair, ma'am," said the new nurse, looking pleasantly at her mistress.

"Gracious!" exclaimed the lady, glancing up from her novel. "Run into the nursery and take it away from her. She will ruin it."

"Smith is mighty careless with the truth, isn't he?" said Brown.

"Yes," replied Jones. "Why'd he try to deny it right after he'd eaten a raw onion."—Knoxville Journal and Tribune.

Canada's Increasing Wool Production

Government Figures Would Indicate a Production of Close to 18,000,000 Pounds

The wool clip of Canada for 1919 has been placed at 15,000,000 pounds, according to early estimates, says the Manitoba Free Press. This represents a very material increase over last year, and probably marks the apex of wool production for the current decade. Government figures would indicate production of close to 18,000,000 pounds, but this is thought by well informed persons in the wool trade to be in excess of the actual clip. The 1918 production was 12,000,000 pounds or thereabouts. The sheep population has been increased by between 300,000 and 400,000, making the gain in wool production amount to between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 pounds. The increase is believed to be fairly evenly distributed over the entire country. This is fairly important from an economic standpoint, increasing the revenue that will accrue to the producers and enlarging the exportable surplus of the domestic staple.

The Future British Navy

In its leading editorial, a recent issue of "The Naval and Military Record," speaking of the future development of the British navy, said: "The German fleet has disappeared . . . and the only foreign power which has augmented its navy upon a large scale is the United States. In these circumstances it will not be easy to hit upon a working formula to represent our minimum needs."

"We might, of course, base our future building programmes on the corresponding efforts made by the United States, but the objection to such a course is that it would imply a rivalry in armament between the very powers on whom the world relies to prevent fresh wars. Few people in this country would approve a naval policy which could in any sense be interpreted as a threat to our friends across the Atlantic."

There isn't a department store on earth large enough to supply everything a woman wants.

As a verminicide there is no preparation that equals Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator. It has saved the lives of countless children.

The average woman would consider life a success if she could find just one man who would make love to her without either shocking her with his suddenness, or wearing out her patience with his inertia.

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A Shower

Jinks: "You look dreadfully battered. What's happened?"

Binks: "Wife has been pelting me with flowers."

Jinks: "Why, that wouldn't mark you up in that manner."

Binks: "Oh, they were in the pots."

To safeguard the child from damage that worms cause, use Miller's Worm Powders, the medicine particularly suited to the system. It will clear the system entirely of worms, will regulate and stimulate the organs injuriously affected by the worms, and will encourage healthful operation of the digestive processes. As a verminicide it cannot be surpassed in effectiveness.

Why Prices Go Up

From an Address to Congress By President Wilson

With the increase in the prices of the necessities of life come demands for increases in wages—demands which are justified if there be no other means of enabling men to live. Upon the increase of wages there follows an increase in the price of the products which producers have been accorded the increase—not a proportionate increase, for the manufacturer does not content himself with that, but an increase considerably greater than the added wage cost and for which the added wage cost is oftentimes hardly more than an excuse.

The laborers who do not get an increase in pay when they demand it are likely to strike, and the strike only makes matters worse. It checks production, it affects the railway, it prevents distribution and strips the markets, so that there is presently nothing to buy, and there is another excessive addition to prices resulting from the scarcity.

She Hadn't Reformed Him

There was fire in Mrs. Naggs' eyes as she met her hubby.

"I caught you flirting, Joseph!" she exclaimed.

"That's right," responded Mr. Naggs. "That's just how you landed me."

—W. N. U. 1280

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Lady Rhondda Is Delighted With Canada

Extremists In India

Using Against the Government a Vigorous Propaganda

London.—A grave warning about the activities of the extremists was uttered by Sir Harrington Verney Lovett, who has held many important positions in the Indian government, in the course of testimony before the committee of the government which is considering the India Bill.

Sir Harrington said that the extremists were increasing rapidly and were using against the government a vigorous propaganda, combative and nationalist, and backed by slander and misrepresentation.

A strong lead was needed from Great Britain, he declared, for otherwise the ruin of Indian and British interests would be accomplished. A policy of "drift might mean the introduction of premature home rule with strife and disorder."

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Do not suffer from Itching, Bleeding, Swelling, or Inflammation. No operation required.

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Twelve outstanding addresses by the best known public men and women of Canada, the United States and England.

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The appetite is sharpened up, takes on a keen edge.

You enjoy your meals, and digest them well.

Strength and buoyant spirits return. You feel good, you look like your old self again, with bright eyes and rosy cheeks.

The best guarantee of good health and old age that man and woman can have is the regular use of this family Pill.

Suited to all ages, you should get a few 25c boxes from the drug store and keep them handy.

sensation. A very grateful warmth surrounded him, and with it came a disposition to go to sleep. He probably would have gone to sleep had his eye not fallen on a picture on the wall. It was a picture of a girl pointing her finger at him. He suspected that she was pointing it at him, and as he looked more closely he became very sure of it. . . . No girl could point her finger at him. He arose and made a lunge across the room. He missed her, and with difficulty retraced his steps to the table to make a fresh start.

"She's makin' fun of me," he said. "I don't stand for that. Nobody can do that with me. Nobody—see? I don't 'low it."

"Oh, you don't," laughed one of the girls running into a corner and pointing a finger at him. "You don't?"

He turned his attention to her, steady himself very carefully before he attempted an advance. Then, with wide-stretched arms, he bore down cautiously upon her. When he had her almost within reach she darted along the edge of the room. He attempted a sudden change in direction, which ended disastrously, and he found himself very much sprawled out upon the floor. He was aware of laughter, but what cared he? He was disposed to sleep. What better place to sleep than this? What better time to sleep than this? In a moment he was lost to all consciousness.

It was later in the night when he felt himself being dragged into a sitting posture. He remonstrated in a mumble voice. "S' too early," he said. "Altogether too early. Early. Whew! Watch 'er spin. Jus' his job. Paid for it, ain't he?"

"Well, I s'pose paid for this," said Conward, rather roughly, "and you got to pull you together. Here, take a little of this, it'll put some gimp in you." He pressed a glass to his lips, and Dave swallowed.

"Where am I?" he said, blinking at the light. He rose uncertainly to his feet and stared about the room in returning consciousness.

"Where's the girl?" he asked.

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The Jarrow Page

This page is devoted to the interests of Jarrow and District

JARROW

Eriksen Bros. are ready to start threshing on Monday the 15th. They are moving to a district south of Strome.

Practically all of the wheat is cut and a good proportion of the oats. A number of fields are being left in order to get all the feed possible.

Mr. Chase has bought a business in Edmonton and the family will be moving there soon.

Lisson and Yates are in readiness with their outfit and expect to begin threshing the last of this week. They have a new bunk house for the comfort of their crew this year. They will work the district immediately south of town.

The recent rains have put a stop to haying and harvesting for a few days but it will do no harm as we need the moisture. The frost did no serious harm as far as can be seen although it may lighten the oats a little.

The bottom has dropped out of the hog and cattle markets the last week and we have reason to believe that no one will gain anything by waiting for another raise. As usual produce will be the first thing to drop in price in the re-adjustment of prices in general.

The base price for wheat will be \$2.15 per bushel f.o.b. Fort William as an advance to the farmer. When the grain is sold the farmer will receive a slip if these are preserved, and the Board receives a higher price for the grain, the holder of this slip will receive the difference between what he already received and the sale price.

WANTED—young lady, for general store. J. D. Manners, Jarrow.

Jarrow Church Services.

Services Sunday, Sept. 14th
Lynx appointment at 11 a.m.
Baths 3 p.m.
Jarrow 7.30 p.m.
Rev. W. Allen, Pastor

The Price of Lumber.

We are entering just such a post bellum period as followed all previous great wars, and similar disturbing factors are at work upsetting prices everywhere and generally establishing a new economic outlook. People are taking just the same attitude towards these conditions that people took when they occurred after past wars, and loud cries are going up from every country that a system of wholesale profiteering is being indulged in on all hands. Governments are being appealed to legislate against advancing prices, and in some instances legislation has actually been enacted making big profit a hazardous adventure for the man of commerce.

The lumberman amongst other producers is being cried down. However, we venture to believe that history will repeat itself once more, and that prices will be maintained for years to come. With forty or fifty million people withdrawn for five years from production and engaged wholly in destruction, it stands to reason that the world's supply of necessary commodities must be precariously depleted, and that it will take years of unbroken productive labor to again stock the world's shelves. The old law of supply and demand will apply as always, and people without will be prepared again, as in the past, to pay highly for those things they consider they must have.

The one outstanding factor in connection with the sale of lumber and shingles is that for something like five years building operations everywhere have been practically at a standstill, and that these operations, which are now resuming, cannot cease for years to come, because it will take a considerable time for the world to catch up with its present housing shortage.—Ex

VIKING

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Evan Jones a son, on Monday, September 1st.

The interior of the Community church is being repainted and decorated.

H. Gravert, proprietor of the King Edward Hotel, is making some improvements and alterations to the building.

Rev. Marr, representing the British and Foreign Bible Society spoke in the community church last Sunday evening. A collection for the benefit of the society was taken up.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Wittman enjoyed a visit from Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wittman and daughter Mrs. Oddy who motored down from Edmonton last week.

The Bruce basketball defeated the Holden girls last Friday 11 to 4.

On Tuesday they won over Ryley by a good margin.

From what we hear there'll be quite a few going to Edmonton Friday and Saturday to get a look at the Prince, and maybe get a chance to shake hands with him.

A. D. Grant, of the Four Province Investment Company, writes the editor from Toronto that he arrived there in time to see the Prince and says he looks and acts as though he was a jolly good fellow.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Ross, Mrs. N. Kjosness and Mr. and Mrs. Ole Lund visited at Kinsella Sunday between trains with Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wangness.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Wangness who have been visiting relatives and friends here and at Kinsella for the past month returned to their home in Minnesota on Monday.

P. P. Nyhus left in his car for Swift Current, Sask. on Monday. On account of bad roads he left his car at Killam and boarded the train.

Aaron Dayton has joined the Collier Bros. force as salesman. This makes the third returned man on the staff, Knut Backen of the American air service, Chas. Carlson, a navy man, and Aaron Dayton, of the Royal Air Force.

The sale of cattle owned by S. S. Hafso at Tom Mackey's barn last Friday drew a large crowd and the animals sold at a good figure. Mr. Long cried the sale.

Mrs. W. F. Goodwin returned Sunday from extended visit with relatives and friends at Carman and Winnipeg, Man. She was accompanied home by her sister, Miss Agnes Campbell who will visit here for a month. Miss Campbell volunteered as a nurse in the early part of the war and was with the forces at Salonica. She recently returned from overseas and after a month's vacation will take up duties at Tuxedo hospital, Winnipeg.

Various shooting parties have been out pursuing the nimble duck since the season opened. Most of them report only fair luck and some unfortunate who report no luck at all. There appear to be plenty of ducks but the dry spell seems to have the usual sloughs so that hunting grounds are few and far between. H. B. Collier took a shooting party out in his new Dodge the other day comprising of no lesser lights than D. McDonald, Col. Stewart, W. Beanish and ye scribe. After going a few miles south they planted themselves in a wheat field where the ducks were swarming like bees—before they got there.

An occasional duck took a chance and flew over. Everybody blazed away but Mr. Duck kept on flying. After seeing what bum shots there were in the bunch the ducks got braver and came closer. This was their undoing and when the heads were counted just before the sun went down an even dozen answered the roll call. McDonald got six, Beanish four, the Col. 2 and the party of the fourth part?



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By order,
L. PEREIRA,
Secretary.

Department of the Interior
Ottawa, August 26, 1919

Biggest Harvest Ever in the Peace River Country

Peace River Record—With the end of the present week, the harvest can be said to be well started from one end of the Peace River country to the other. And it will be the biggest and best harvest with which this country has yet been blessed, incidentally making up in the year when it will be sorely needed, for the shortcomings of the harvest in other parts of the west and particularly in the southern portions of this province.

While in Ottawa the Prince of Wales invested in a complete certificate of Canadian War Savings Stamps, something perhaps a lot of Canadians have not done.